





## HUNTED DOWN.

### The Roslyn Bank Robbers at Last Captured.

New Developments in the Planz Murder Mystery at San Jose.

A Two-round Pugilistic Encounter at San Francisco.

Actor Curtis Again on Trial for the Murder of Policeman Grant—Racing at Bay District, Track—Other Coast News.

By Telegram to The Times. TACOMA (Wash.) Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The ledger's special from Arlington, Or., says that three men, identified as members of the gang who robbed the Roslyn bank in September last and secured \$10,000, arrived here today in charge of Sullivan and other deputies of Thiel's detective agency, having been captured in the mountains. They are desperate characters and for years have been the terror of people living in the vicinity. They are believed to be the same gang who robbed two other banks during the past year in a similar manner.

Officers are now in pursuit of the balance of the gang, and expect to capture them in a few days. An effort was made by confederates to rescue the prisoners, but it failed. The prisoners were taken west this afternoon on a train to Portland.

PORTLAND (Or.) Nov. 25.—[At Thiel's detective agency in this city it is learned that a posse of about twenty men, consisting of sheriffs of surrounding counties and a number of Thiel's men, was formed on Sunday last and started in pursuit of the three Roslyn robbers, who had been located by the detectives. The entire band of robbers, whose headquarters are known to be in Gilliam county, numbers twenty or twenty-five. It is thought they have been operating all over the Pacific Coast, robbing banks and holding up trains. The first clue to the whereabouts of the gang was obtained by finding a horse which one of the robbers had left near Ellensburg. After some time it was ascertained that the animal was owned in Gilliam county.

After following the trail of the robbers several days the posse came upon them, and an engagement took place in which it is supposed one of the robbers was wounded. The next day the rags with which the man had dressed his wounds were found. This clue was followed up, and it was learned that the robbers went toward the Columbia River.

From accounts of the capture received, it is supposed that the posse came upon three men when they were off their guard, and captured them without resistance. It was feared that the remainder of the gang would attempt to rescue the prisoners, as they are known to be well armed and desperate.

The three men were identified by Dr. Lyons, who was in the Roslyn bank at the time of the robbery. He passed through this city yesterday, having been summoned to identify the men, in case their capture was effected.

ONLY TWO ROUNDS.

Barron of Australia Makes Quick Work of Billy Hennessy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] Jim Barron, the Australian lightweight, made his first appearance in this country in a pugilistic role at the California Athletic Club tonight. His opponent being Robert Dobbs (colored) of Denver. The purse for which the men contested was \$1000. Dobbs's seconds were Billy Hennessy, Al Long and Montana Kid; Barron's were George McKenzie, Arthur Walker and Charles Nelson. Dobbs weighed in at 137; Barron at 138. The latter looked thin for the big man. The men were evenly matched as to height and reach.

Dobbs rushed from the start, but fought wildly.

Barron turned the tables on him in the second round and kept the colored man running. Barron caught him near the ropes and dropped him with a right hander on the jaw. Dobbs fell flat on his back, and though he struggled up he was late and the decision was given to Barron amid cries of "fake" from the dissatisfied spectators. Barron was the favorite, 20 to 13, when the fight began.

The result was discussed with much heat by friends of the pugilists and the spectators generally. The opinion of the best judges, including Referee Jordan, is that the knock-out was genuine. The question that agitated a majority of the spectators was whether or not Dobbs invited it purposely. He displayed poor judgment at best, and though he caught the Australian a right hander under the jaw, nearly dropping him, and followed it with another, cutting his face and drawing blood from the first round, he left himself open repeatedly, and in such manner that the Australian, who pressed him hard the second round, could not fail to find him. His friends claim that rushing the fight was his best chance of winning.

ACTOR CURTIS ON TRIAL.

The Story of the Murder of Grant Again Told in Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The second trial of M. B. Curtis ("Sam" of Posen) for the murder of Policeman Alexander Grant on the night of September 11, 1891, began in Judge Murphy's court today.

Officer James testified to seeing the dead body of Grant on the sidewalk on Folsom street after the latter had been shot.

John W. Parker, a painter by occupation, testified that he had been playing pool in a saloon near the scene of the tragedy that night. When he started for home at 12:30 a. m. he saw two men scuffling. The taller one shoved the other against the wall and some one said: "Now come on!" The two men then started away, the taller one holding the smaller man by the right hand.

Augustin Marcollo, a tamale peddler, testified that he saw Officer Grant with a short man on Sixth street. The two men were talking, but he did not understand their conversation.

THE PLANZ MURDER.

Some Little New Light Thrown on the San Jose Mystery.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The Post's San Jose special says that District Attorney Scheller has come into possession of

some information concerning the mysterious death of Henry Planz, manager of the Fredericksburg brewery, which causes much interest as to the whereabouts of Henry Larzen, a stonecutter, who came to San Jose from Los Gatos about November 1. On the night of Planz's death he and Larzen were observed talking together in the Oberon saloon, and next morning when the subject of the murder was broached by his employer Larzen is stated to have acted strangely. Larzen left his situation the same day and has not been seen since.

AN OUTRAGE.

Eight Non-union Sailors Kidnaped and Taken from Their Vessel.

TACOMA (Wash.) Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] On Wednesday night at midnight thirty Tacoma and Seattle union sailors, boarded the lumber bark Enoch Talbot and forcibly kidnaped the eight non-union sailors composing the bark's crew. They were placed under the hatchway of a small sloop, taken thirty miles down the sound and left there without a cent of money and with scant clothing. The union men threatened to kill them if they ever found them on a non-union ship again.

On Thanksgiving day the sailors went to Port Blakeley and begged bread and money to pay their fare back, returning here today. They have gone aboard the Talbot again. Capt. Klor says he will sail them despite intimidations. Complaints have been made to the Mayor and United States Marshal, who will investigate. The affair has created excitement in shipping circles.

Charged With Killing His Partner.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 25.—Lyman Follett was lodged in jail yesterday charged with the murder of an unknown man, supposed to be Jack Green, near Kyrene a year ago. Lately it has been discovered that the murdered man and Follett left Gila Bend together, and Follett, soon after the murder, sold some horses jointly owned by himself and Green. The identification of the body was made by means of a partially obliterated photograph and pieces of the dead man's clothing. Follett denies that he is the man who killed Green, whom he says he will be able to produce. He will be given a hearing next Monday.

Racing at Bay District.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The track was fair.

Half mile dash: Irish fly won, Gypsy Girl second, Flora E. third; time 0:50.

Four and one-half furlongs: Nell Flaherty won, Jim R. second, Joe Harding third; time 0:37.

Five furlongs: Princess Lorraine won, Lady Marion second, Sedalia third; time 1:05.

Three-quarters of a mile: Tearless won, Joshua second, Altus third; time 1:17.

Fifteen-sixteenths of a mile: Lady Useful won, Red Prince second, Cheerful third; time 1:40.

Fatal Result of a Quarrel.

PENDELTON (Or.) Nov. 25.—John Alexander, a farmer, shot and killed Len McCarthy, a shepherd, today, on Birch Creek, ten miles from here. The men got into an altercation over the grazing of sheep in that vicinity, and Alexander claims that McCarthy made a motion as if to draw a revolver when he fired and killed him. There were no witnesses to the affair and very little can be learned about it. Alexander was recently discharged from an asylum.

An Escaped Murderer Caught.

MARYSVILLE, Nov. 25.—Sheriff Saul has received a telegram from the United States Marshal in the Creek Nation, in Indian Territory, announcing that Edward Raymond, a man who escaped from jail here last May, after being convicted of murder, had been arrested there. Marshal Levering was positive that he has the right man. The reward for his arrest is about \$1000.

A Courtroom Burglarized.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The vault in Superior Judge Hebbard's courtroom was forced open some time last night by some parties and the desk of Clerk Groom was also broken into and ransacked. The only articles of value in the vaults were exhibits used in the suit of Fox vs. the Hale & Norcross Company. As far as is known tonight has been abstracted from the courtroom.

Two Convicts Escape.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Nov. 25.—Two convicts, Rogers, a sixteen-year man, and Gilbert, a three-year man, escaped from the penitentiary at New Westminster yesterday by climbing the wall. Gilbert was captured, but Rogers is still at large.

Fire at Pomona.

POMONA, Nov. 25.—Fire in Brown & Co.'s drug store last night damaged the stock \$1000 or more; fully insured. The fire was caused by phosphorus.

SHIPPERS DISMAYED.

Restoration of the Mexican Duty on Grain Causes Concern.

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The official announcement that the Mexican government is to discontinue the free importation of grain on the 1st has caused a great stir among traffic officials of connecting roads in this section and has terrified shippers who have corn en route, and orders for grain not yet filled. The result of this unexpected order will be to cause the loss of many thousands of dollars to railroads and shippers. The Mexican National Railroad is already unable to handle the corn that is delivered to them daily by the International and Great Northern and San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroads. As a result, the yards of the International and Great Northern Railroad at San Antonio and Laredo are blocked with grain, there being 600 cars, each containing 300 bushels of grain, now accumulated at that point. The same condition of affairs exists at Eagle Pass.

Wants the Fair Open Sundays.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—President Higginbotham of the local directors of the World's Fair has addressed a letter to each Congressman and Senator, asking if the great exposition must be hidden from the tolling thousands, because to view it would "prostitute the American Sabbath." The letter urges that the Sunday-closing matter be reconsidered in favor of open gates.

Harrison Has North Dakota.

BISMARCK (N. D.) Nov. 25.—The Harrison electors in North Dakota are probably chosen. Complete returns from twenty-eight out of thirty-nine counties give the Weaver electors 240 majority, but seven of the counties yet to be heard from are surely for Harrison. An official count may be required to settle the matter.

## FROM ABROAD.

### Gladstone's Followers Fear Speedy Defeat.

The Ministry Considered Tolerably Safe on First Division.

The New Home-rule Measure Submitted to the Irish Leaders.

Panama Canal Defendants in Court—Their Trial Postponed—Widow Parnell Getting the Best of Her Creditors—Foreign Flashes.

By Telegram to The Times. LONDON, Nov. 25.—[Copyright, 1892, by the New York Associated Press.] Gladstone will return to Hawarden on Thursday. Though the Cabinet does not resume councils until January, the ministers and committees will continue to meet. The industry of the ministers is remarkable, but unmistakable symptoms of apprehension of an early collapse of the government are found in the fact that almost no private bills are being prepared for Parliament.

Lord Rosebery, British Foreign Secretary, has announced to the French government that the present Cabinet had adopted the policy of Lord Salisbury with reference to the rights of France in Newfoundland.

The completed commercial treaty between France and Canada, which Sir Charles Tupper takes with him, includes a stipulation that Canada shall grant a subsidy for a steamship service between the two countries.

The Canadian government consulted the Secretary of State for Colonies regarding the projected commercial treaty between Canada and Mexico, the latter allowing free importation into Mexico of Canadian wheat flour, cottons, woollens and machinery.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 25.—The Cabinet has decided that Parliament shall meet January 2. John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, has taken to Dublin a draft of Gladstone's Home-rule Bill, which will be submitted to the Irish leaders. It is understood that the measure provides for the retention of the full strength of the Irish party in the Imperial Parliament and for strengthening the Imperial veto. Should the government majority disappear on the first division, which appears likely to be the case when the vote is taken on the Uganda amendment, the government will be saved from collapse by the Unionists, who support the government policy so far as Uganda is concerned. The expected radical desertion will not overthrow the Cabinet.

PANAMA CANAL DEFENDANTS.

Their Case Comes Up in Court—The Trial Postponed.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The case of the government against the Panama Canal Company was called in the Court of Appeals today. The defendants are M. Ferdinand de Lesseps, chairman of the board of directors; M. Charles de Lesseps, his son, vice-chairman; M. Marcus Fantana, Baron Cotta, a director of the company, and M. Eiffel, the well-known contractor. None of the defendants were present. The case was adjourned until January 10, counsel for the defense guaranteeing that they would not make their appearance. The president of the Court of Appeals reserved his decision on the question whether he would enforce the presence of M. Ferdinand de Lesseps. The charges that appear in the indictment, which is a very voluminous document, are of such a trivial and malveracious nature.

Premier Loubet and Minister of Justice Ricard appeared before the Panama Canal Investigating Committee at the opening session today. M. de la Haye was examined and added a little to the accusations already made, but did not do it for examination, and also to request the Minister to place before the committee whatever evidence in the Panama Canal case he had in his possession with a view to ascertaining the proof of the statements made by M. de la Haye that the documents bear the names of over 500 persons and were subsidized by the Panama Canal Company.

Finally the committee decided to ask the government to inquire into the cause of the death of Baron Reimach and to order an autopsy and inquest, and to cause the Baron's papers to be examined.

The indictment remains unpublished. It was not presented to the court today, and it is unlikely it will be accessible before the trial begins in January.

Widow Parnell's Shrewd Financialing.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Mrs. Parnell, who recently took advantage of the bankruptcy act, has offered her creditors 10 shillings on the pound. She admits that she has not an annual income of £900. Her liabilities are £6869, and her assets £8425. A compromise with her creditors at 10 on the pound will, therefore, be very favorable to her, leaving her £1891.

Nihilists Stirring Up Peasants.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.—Nihilists are trying to stir up the Volga peasantry, by means of pamphlets and letters, to revolt against the government. The police have been instructed to suppress the insurrectionary attempts.

The Kaiser Congratulates Caprivi.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—Emperor William has warmly congratulated Caprivi upon the success of his speech in the Reichstag.

Hopeful Signs in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.—The domination of the Czarovitch to the presidency of the Russian State Council is held as an indication of the desire of the Czar to infuse a more liberal spirit

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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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## MONEY AND BANKS.

Report of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Growth of Banking in This Country Shown by Figures.

What Clearing-houses Do to Simplify Financial Matters.

The Present National Currency Contrasted With the Old State Bank Issues—Suggestions as to Refunding the National Debt.

By Telegraph to the Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The forthcoming report of Comptroller of the Currency Hepburn shows 163 banks, with an aggregate capital of \$15,285,000, organized during the year. Fifty-three went into voluntary liquidation and seventeen became insolvent. Nearly 50 per cent. of the new banks are located west of the Mississippi River, and 35 per cent. in the Southern States. The number of banks in operation is 9758, having an aggregate capital of \$693,868,645; surplus and undivided profits, \$340,524,179; individual deposits, \$1,768,422,983; bank deposits, \$530,458,202; and total resources of \$3,510,094,897. The circulation outstanding shows a net increase for the year of \$10,487,326. The gold held by banks, compared with September 25, 1891, shows an increase of \$21,994,115; surplus and profits, an increase of \$9,663,020; individual deposits, an increase of \$177,104,902; and bank deposits an increase of \$100,088,428. Over two-thirds of the liabilities of seventeen banks, reported as having failed, belong to the National Bank.

The Comptroller gives detailed information of clearing-house transactions and shows how, by means of book-keeping substitutes, the use of actual money has been minimized, less than 10 per cent. of business transactions being represented by money.

The commissioner makes numerous recommendations, among them the following: That the tax on national bank circulation be repealed. The banks have already paid into the treasury \$72,870,401 in taxes on circulation. They should only be assessed sufficiently to defray the actual cost to the Government of providing circulation. That the Government issue bonds, having twenty, thirty and forty years to run, at a low rate of interest with which to retire the present bonded debt, which bonds may be used as a basis to secure the national bank circulation.

The Comptroller shows that by exchanging 2 per cent. bonds, having some length of time to run, for 4 per cent. bonds outstanding, at the market value of each on the 31st of October, 1892, the Government could have saved \$67,161,551. In addition to furnishing a permanent basis of circulation, it would prove a great saving to taxpayers.

He urged that the Comptroller of the Currency, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, be authorized to remove officers and directors of banks for violations of the law; that the law be so amended as to prohibit officers or employees of a bank borrowing funds in any manner except upon application to and approval by the board of directors.

In a chapter in regard to circulation, the Comptroller says: "Solved paper money is popularly believed to be a potent means of disseminating infectious and contagious diseases. The Bank of England never reissues a note. The statute provides for the redemption of United States notes when simulated or injured as to be unfit for use. The accumulated fifth of continuous use is unfit for circulation and should be redeemed. Send in the old and let the people have new and clean money."

The national bank notes have furnished a currency adequate to the wants of the public, sound, elastic and beyond criticism. This form of currency should be continued as the money of the future.

The Comptroller argues against State bank notes and says: "Congress must, under the Constitution, provide all the money that possesses legal-tender power. By every consideration of sound business principles, it should provide all the money the country requires. No public interest can be served by dividing this function with forty-four States. Every period of financial depression in the past has resulted in the suspension of specie payments, more or less general, by banks; that is, has resulted in the inability of banks to redeem their notes. The same conditions would produce similar results in the future if State bank notes were allowed to circulate. Their acceptance is not voluntary; it becomes a necessity. The wealthy class could provide themselves with means of discriminating against the notes of weak banks, and, if they found themselves possessed of any, they would proceed to work them off upon their poorer neighbors. That is the record of the past; it would be the experience of the future. The note of a failed national bank is as good as that of any bank in the system. State bank circulation loses its money power in a crisis. Instead of paying debts if it comes forward itself to be paid."

## THE RAINMAKERS.

They Continue Bombarding in Texas, but Without Results.

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.), Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The rainmakers began work again today near here. The hydrogen-oxygen balloon was sent up to a height of 4000 feet and exploded by means of a slow match. The concussion was perceptibly felt on the ground for a few miles around. Immediately following the explosion the ground batteries fired charges of rocket fire. After firing one round from the battery a cessation of an hour was taken, when the bombardment was resumed.

The first series of the experiments was kept up continuously until midnight, a number of balloons being used. Up to 11 o'clock the moon and stars were shining brightly, but Gen. Dyrenforth thinks morning will bring a great change in the weather.

Killed by an Unruly Team. CENTRALIA (Ill.), Nov. 25.—A shocking accident happened a few miles south of here late yesterday afternoon. An aged man and woman were driving in a wagon, when the team became frightened at an approaching team of ponies. They gave a sudden turn, throwing the old man and woman to the ground, killing her on the spot and fatally injuring him.

An Iowa Bluebeard Jailed. DES MOINES (Iowa), Nov. 25.—The people of Riverton are still in a state of great excitement over the alleged wife-poisoning case. William Mayhor, who has had five wives in the past few years, all of whom have died under mysterious circumstances, as related in former dispatches, has been placed under arrest to await the action of the grand jury. Mayhor is worth \$75,000.

## WINTER IN THE EAST.

A Furious Snowstorm in the Dakotas and Minnesota.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] The first snowstorm of the season is reported throughout the Northwest today. At many places an infant blizzard prevailed. Railway traffic was impeded because of high winds which drifted the snow badly.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 25.—Today's snowstorm was general in Minnesota and the Dakotas, being especially severe in South Dakota. The snow was accompanied in many sections by sleet, which froze as fast as it fell, and the whole country is a glare of ice.

Siox City reports telegraph and telephone lines prostrated by loads of ice and communication with the outside world almost wholly suspended.

Huron reports the snow drifting badly, and the snow is very heavy north of there, while fuel is scarce.

Miller, S. D., reports fears that stock may suffer, farmers not being prepared for winter.

Points in Minnesota give similar reports. The snow and sleet in this city topped at dark, and at midnight was starting up again. Only a little has fallen here.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—The severe sleet storm of today seriously hampered the telegraph and telephone communications, and also caused great trouble to electric street car lines in this city. Market street and LaCade avenue lines were completely stopped at certain times today, the wires being coated with ice and the motors being unable to get sufficient power.

## A TOUGH GANG.

Hoodlums Have a Desperate Fight on a Train.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] A Gallop dispatch tells of a bloody fight which took place Wednesday night on a northbound Ohio River train. Six brothers named Adams boarded the train at Huntington in a drunken condition. Shortly afterward, one of them entered the ladies' coach with a drawn revolver and used menacing language. Conductor Smith seized him and drew him into the smoker. The other brothers rushed to his help and a brakeman came to the assistance of the conductor. In the meantime a newsboy gave the riot alarm. The train stopped, and the entire crew came to the scene. The Adams boys were badly beaten and thrown off the train. It is not known whether any of them were killed or not. The conductor and brakeman were severely injured, and several passengers were hurt.

## Made Crazy by a Dream.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Mrs. Maggie Bartolini was taken to the Harrison street station last night, a raving maniac. On Tuesday night she dreamed that her husband, who is a cook in a hotel at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was murdered by a believer in dreams. She got the morning papers and read them closely, expecting to find a story of the murder. The unfortunate woman's condition was noticed by her neighbors. They tried to drive the thoughts of murder from her mind, but without success. Her husband left Chicago two weeks ago and intended to send for her when he found a place to live.

## A Rival of the Lick Telescope.

CLEVELAND (O.), Nov. 25.—Warner & Swasey of Cleveland, designers and builders of the famous Lick telescope and the 26-inch telescope for the Naval Observatory at Washington, D. C., will make the 40-inch Yerkes telescope for the University of Chicago. The Lick telescope is now the largest in the world, but this new great instrument will, when completed, exceed it in power. The telescope is 25 feet long, the great telescope will be seventy-five feet long and will weigh about six tons, and the instrument complete not less than sixty tons. It is expected the telescope will be completed in one year.

## Three Children Drowned.

GREEN BAY (Wis.), Nov. 25.—James Fox, aged 12 years, John and Kennedy Colton, aged 11 and 9 years, respectively, were drowned about 8 o'clock this morning while skating on Fox River.

## Premier Abbott Resigns.

OTTAWA (Ont.), Nov. 25.—Sir John Caldwell Abbott handed in his resignation as Premier this afternoon, and Sir John Thompson was appointed to form a government. It will be several days before the personnel of the new cabinet can be stated.

## The Stout Sportsman in Luck.

EXMORE (Va.), Nov. 25.—In the shooting expedition today President-elect Cleveland shot eight ducks. The weather was stormy and unpropitious, but the party suffered little inconvenience in consequence.

## Left a Vast Fortune.

PATERSON (N. J.), Nov. 25.—Robert Barbour, president of the Barbour Flax Spinning Company, died early this morning of apoplexy. He left a fortune, variously estimated at from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

## Gen. Kimball's Wife Dead.

ODEN (Utah), Nov. 25.—Mrs. Gen. Nathan Kimball died this morning. She was born at Lavonia, Ind., January 20, 1838. Gen. Kimball himself is very feeble.

## The American Girl's Voice.

During my travels in America, writes Marie Rose in an exhaustive article on "The Girl With a Voice," in the November Ladies' Home Journal, I made the acquaintance of a great many young women who possessed fair voices, and were ambitious to earn their living on the stage in opera or in concert. Looking back over my own career I would like to give a few hints to those who think of embarking in a work that brings many trials, but also rewards and honors, rich and thick. The first thing for a girl to do is to find out if she has a voice. This she can possibly be ascertained until she is fifteen or sixteen years of age. If she possesses a voice, she should at once put herself in the care of a teacher who knows how to develop the voice without straining it. I have known so many girls who were fitted by nature with good voices, and who might have become famous if they had only begun right, but through carelessness when they were young their voices were strained and before they were twenty years of age were cracked and metallic-like. There was no melody in them, and yet a practiced ear could now and then detect a note or two of such sweetness as to attest the fact that they had been properly trained their voices would have been grand and beautiful.

## GOING.

The new Adams-street homestead lots of the Southern California Land Company are attracting great attention.

## CAPT. BARRY'S REPLY.

The Officer Answers Gov. Markham's Caustic Criticisms.

The controversy between Gov. Markham and Capt. Barry, U.S.A., is becoming quite personal, not to say acrimonious. Gov. Markham wrote a letter sharply criticizing Capt. Barry, extracts from which were published in the Times yesterday morning. This letter has brought out an answer from Capt. Barry, in which he answers the Governor's charges at length, denying that he was guilty of any breach of etiquette, or went out of the line of his duty in his report, and concludes as follows:

In concluding this letter I desire to say that I was detailed for duty as instructor and inspector of the National Guard of California by your request, unsolicited by me in any way. I entered upon that duty with the very best interests of the National Guard of California at heart, and whatever I did as instructor or inspector was prompted by but one motive, and that was to increase the efficiency of your command in every possible way within my power. That I worked day and night, at Camp Columbus to accomplish that end was apparent to you, and I felt repaid when you expressed yourself to me personally and to others as being very much satisfied with my efforts. To now undo all that and to undertake to strike me in the back by animadverting upon me and my report in the manner in which you have I consider unbecoming in one holding the position of Governor of the State of California. I did my duty in connection with the guard of your State as I try to do all duty assigned to me. I am to the best of my ability, fearlessly and conscientiously, and so long as life remains in me that shall be my aim, and whenever I am placed in a position where my duty demands a free, honest and conscientious expression of opinion, the man does not live, he be ever so excited, who can hope either for himself or those connected with him to escape my honest, fearless and unbiased judgment.

## THE GIANT'S CAUSEWAY.

The Curious Composition of the Earth About This Natural Wonder.

[St. Louis Republic.]

The Giant's Causeway is situated at the northern extremity of County Antrim, a short distance from Port Rush, Ireland. It consists of countless hosts of basaltic pillars, varying in shape from a pentagon to an octagon, the average length of each column or pillar being about eighty feet, the whole stacked so closely together that a knife blade could hardly be inserted between them. But the form of these pillars is not the least wonderful part about them, for, although they may be counted by thousands and ten of thousands each column is fashioned with a symmetry that suggests a mason's handiwork. Their composition is a perfect fusion of one-half flinty earth, one-quarter lime and clay, and one-quarter almost pure iron, each pillar being divided into regular lengths or joints, which come together as a perfect natural ball and socket union. Although to be found in small detachments (imbedded in the cliff, sand, etc.) for some distance along the shore, the principal aggregations forming the causeway proper consist of three projections or tongues known as Little, Middle and Grand causeways.

These singular columns are of different lengths, as has already been hinted, and present an astonishing appearance as they stand, an army of at least 40,000 strong, marshalled on the shores of Erin, as if ever ready to do battle with the rising tide. One portion of this marvellous natural freak is known as "Lord Antrim's Parlor," other sections by such names as "The Giant's Chimney," "The Giant's Head," "The Nursing Child," "Hen and Chickens," "The Priest and His Flock," besides many other mysterious combinations which are at once fantastic, weird and descriptive. One of the most interesting features of the causeway, and one which I had almost neglected to mention, is "The Giant's Organ." This huge "instrument" is a group of pillars of various lengths at right angles to the main cliff. The larger columns being in the center and the smaller ones tapering off on either side, after the fashion of organ pipes, admirably sustain the idea which the name "Giant's Organ" conveys.

## The Doctor's Friends.

[New York Press.]

Doctor's Wife. There's a new family moved into the village.

Doctor. I'm glad of it.

Doctor's Wife. They won't be any benefit to us, though.

Doctor. Why not?

Doctor's Wife. Because they doctor themselves.

Doctor. H'm! Just the kind of people who help the doctors most. When they do call in a physician he has a permanent job.

What Becomes of Vassar Graduates.

[Fall River Herald.]

A recent systematic effort to learn what has become of Vassar graduates in after life has revealed some interesting facts. Only 45 per cent. of the dear creatures have married. The great majority of them become teachers, though Vassar is well represented in all the literary professions. She has forty-eight physicians, twelve lawyers, six missionaries, and one or more in almost every known occupation.

## Icy Fishing.

[Chicago Journal.]

"What! Back in town, Smith? I thought you went for a week's fishing!"

"I did."

"Poor luck, eh?"

"Worst in the world. I suppose?"

"Oh, yes; we got plenty of fish, but the cask leaked and there wasn't a drop left the second day."

## She Reads the Paper.

[Chicago Inter Ocean.]

Josiah (at city restaurant). Mandy, can you cut your steak? I can't.

Mandy. Law, Josiah, that's nothing. I reckon this is the beef an' iron that we've read so much about.

The New York Rural says the great drought in the Middle States, and especially in Southern Pennsylvania, has been slightly broken up by moderate rains there, and in nearly all parts of the country. In several sections of the Keystone State water was sold for \$1 to \$2 a barrel. Streets and wells ran dry; railroads had to transport water for their own use, sometimes thirty miles or more, and all sorts of live stock suffered severely. Parts of Delaware and Maryland were nearly as parched.

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## "BLACK JOHN."

What is Known of the Man at Bryan, Tex.

His Name While in that Place Was Z. T. Jackson.

And He Was Bookkeeper for Several Business Firms.

Married to a Beautiful Young Widow, Whom He Deserted After Living With Her a Few Months—A Bad Record.

At last a tangible clue to the identity of "Black John," the mysterious suicide, has been discovered, and it is followed up the whole matter can be cleared up. The fact that the man had been in Bryan, Tex., is now established beyond doubt, and at least a portion of his remarkable confession is true, for he married a most estimable lady at that place, whom he deserted after living with her four or five months under circumstances which would indicate that he was an adept in this particular line of business. There are still twelve more wives to be accounted for, but a start has been made, and now that something tangible has been found to work on, other developments are expected in the near future. The latest advice from Bryan, Tex., effectually explodes the attempt of would-be amateur local detective reporters to connect the suicide with "O Homo," the Arizona wild man, a theory too absurd on the face of it to be seriously considered.

When the suicide's effects were searched it was found that everything that might lead to the man's identification had been destroyed except one thing which had been overlooked. This was a paper-covered pamphlet, on one of the leaves of which, written very dimly in lead pencil, was the name "E. F. Blackshear, Brazos Pilot, Bryan, Tex." A telegram was at once sent to the editor of that paper asking for any information about anyone of that name. The following day an answer was received that E. F. Blackshear was in that city and nothing was known about the man inquired for. Copies of the Times containing the account of the suicide and pictures of the dead man were then sent to the editor of the Pilot, and last night the following dispatch was received, giving the first real clue to the dead man's identity:

BRYAN (Tex.), Nov. 25.—To the Editor of THE TIMES: Since we have seen a copy of Monday's Times, and read your account of the unknown man, the mystery has all been revealed to us. It must be a man who gave his name as Z. T. Jackson, who came from Galveston here about April, 1891, and first kept books for the grocery firm of Cole, Buford & Co., and afterward for William Koppe, hardware store. During the early part of the present year he married Mrs. Carter, a young, handsome, well-to-do and highly respected widow of this city. They lived together very happily for three or four months. Finally, in August last, he left on a pretense of sickness, and nothing more had been heard from him until the announcement of his death. Jackson was well liked here, and so conducted himself that people had confidence in him. The little book that furnished the clue to his identity was given to him by a young printer by the name of E. F. Blackshear, who is in the postoffice now in Houston, Tex. His young wife is at her parents' home, twenty miles in the country, so we can't get from her anything that would tell of his past life prior to his coming to Bryan. BRAZOS PILOT.

## Sheep and Snakes.

A writer in the American Sheep Breeder tells this story of Montana:

One day I was sitting on a ledge of rocks overlooking a creek bottom where a band of 1500 sheep were grazing. I noticed a couple of sheep walking around in a circle of about ten rods in circumference. They seemed to be watching some object in the center of the circle. In a few minutes more sheep came and joined the first two in their march around the object in question. After a little while several hundred sheep were milling around in the same way, and as they kept it up, I became curious to know what it was that caused this queer movement, and I crawled down over the rocks and went up to the sheep. Some of them were looking so intently upon the object in the center of the circle that they did not notice my presence, and I had to veil at them and swing my arms around vigorously in order to clear a passage through them to the vacant space. To my surprise, I found a small snake coiled up in the center of the circle with its head elevated a few inches off the ground and moving to and fro. I killed the snake and thought nothing more of the circumstance until some months later, when I was at a sheep ranch up in Montana. There I heard an old sheep herder say that there was no danger of rattlesnakes around a sheep camp, as the sheep soon found them out and called the attention of the herder to their presence by milling around them until he went and killed the snakes. In this way it did not take long to rid a range of rattlers.

## Judging the Age of Poultry.

Examine the feet and legs: the size and appearance of the spurs form a guide, as we are told by an expert in the New York World. The skin of the pullet or cockerel is smooth, and has a fresh appearance, while that of the adult fowl is scaly, coarse and more shriveled. Place the thumb and forefinger on each side of the back near the "pop's" nose, and press. In young birds the part is supple, in old ones it is difficult to bend. If in feeling the tip of the breast-bone, the grizzle forming there is tender and supple, the bird is young. Ducks that have arrived at the age of two or three years have a deep depression down below the breast feathers and their waddle becomes more and more ungainly.

The Quickest Way to Cure a Cold. Do you wish to know the quickest way to cure a cold? We will tell you. To cure a cold quickly, it must be treated before the cold has become settled in the system. The first symptoms of a cold are a dry, loud cough and sneezing. The cough is soon followed by watery expectoration and the sneezing by a profuse watery discharge from the nose. In severe cases there is a thick coating on the tongue. What to do? It is necessary to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in double doses every hour. That will greatly lessen the severity of the cold and cure what would have been a severe cold within one or two days time. Try it and be convinced. Fifty-cent bottles for sale by John Beckwith & Son, Druggists, 202 N. Main st.

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## TOLD BY AN OPIUM FIEND.

Hopes That Soon to Be Realized While the Spirit Lasts. [Colorado Sun.]

When I get up in the morning my face is bloated, swollen, and my acquaintances, some of them, say that it is the effect of liquor, but the more observant, those better versed in the ways of the world, say that it is morphine or the tincture of the poppy, and they are right. Do they blame me? Yes, they do. I am called a fool. I am told that I am throwing my life away. I am demoralizing my brain power and my nervous system along with it. I am told that I should let it alone, and to add weight to their argument I am told of all the horrible and frightful ends of the most frightful malady. Those who tell me about it have not had the experience; they go by observation. I have had both observation and experience. Is there any reason why I should not know, and why I should not appreciate the results of an inhibiting of opiates? All that my well-meaning advisers tell me is true, yet when I retire from my work, a siege varying from fourteen to eighteen hours out of the twenty-four, I get to my dingy little room and find relief only in my little bottle of opium, or in a morphine tablet. It is very odd, it is unreasonable some will say, that a man with brains enough and perhaps a trifle above the average capacity would thus resort to deliberately breaking himself down. But this is an old story. Do I take my medicine with anxiety and pleasure mingled? No, it is with a feeling of repulsion, and as I tip my head back draining the very last drops from the glass, a feeling of dejection and remorse fills me. I think of what my dear mother would say if she knew, and I sometimes think, yes, believe, that she is looking down upon me. I can see her face full of compassionate sorrow, and that deep, holy love that only a mother can entertain for a son. I see at such times the mistakes I have made during my life, and though there has been nothing incriminating, I have not been an angel. The poison has been taken, and the spree between that time and when it takes effect is not of the most agreeable. The word remorse is not strong enough. I am too ambitious, perhaps, and lack one quality or feature which pushes a man to the front. I do not get along fast enough, and my salary is too miserably and insultingly small.

As I think these things over with all the bitterness there is in them, the opiate takes effect and distracts my attention from what I please to term my misfortune. A kind of numbness creeps over me and seems to take possession of my whole system. The sensation is not pleasant, nor is it disagreeable, for I know what is coming.

Oblivion creeps over me, and the hell of this world, if it can be termed so lightly, is gone, and I enter a life, an existence, that I have seen in my earlier worldly experience, and I am in my own hemisphere.

In my fancy I live the life that I would live in reality. No, there is no extravagance, no dissipation in my imaginary life; all is as comfortable and respectable as the most exacting and proper could wish. My occupation is such that I have no chance to be idle, in social pleasure, for at the time for receptions and social calls I am the busiest, and I make no effort to cultivate elevating female society, because I know I cannot follow it up. One reason I couldn't follow it up, and more, my salary is too small. I could not move in the society I would.

In my dream life I have only my joy. Whenever I enter the existence, I am to use the only expression, "out of sight." I have been seated by fair women at tables laden with the luxuries of life. I have talked with brilliant men at the banquet table, and though I never take a leading part in any such demonstrations, I enjoy it and follow it in the even tenor of my way. At other times I will be at my home, a little place I have pictured out in the heart of the city, enjoying the comforts that are to be found only in that modest little cottage. My home, my mythical home, is not a gorgeous affair, but it is so happy. It is furnished in that quiet, rich taste that only a true, loving and wise wife can show. Quite often, while we sit there, the little one that has been born to us will utter a cry in her sleep, and the ever-thoughtful mother will go and bend over the cradle. Soothing words, with looks from her eyes beaming with maternal love, quiet the little thing. The care and responsibility that are placed on us by that little treasure draw us closer together, and our love is infinite. Again I will drift into channels of my daily occupation, and I struggle on as I do in daily life, but the results are reversed, and I meet with reward and am happy. It may be that at such a time I am single, as I really am, and will find myself in the society of my ideal of womanhood, whom in my real life I have never met.

All of these most happy events and situations does the opiate bring me, impressing themselves most vividly upon the mind. When consciousness returns I awake with a heavy, dull sensation in my brain, and I am unable to determine whether what has impressed itself is true or not. I stretch and rub my swollen eyes, and the truth of the situation is upon me. The blood courses hot through my body, feeling as though hot irons were applied to the pulse. Thoughts cannot be collected, the memory is impaired, and the daily grind is before me. Mental and physical exhaustion follow, and then the worst—pay day. "Is there any relief to be secured?" I debate the question with myself. "Yes, there is." Then "No"; then "Yes," and my hand reaches again for the fruit of the poppy.

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## PASADENA.

## An Easterner Who Thinks the Town is Growing.

News of a Day's Doings in This City—Items of Public Interest—People on the Go—Brevels.

A day or so ago the TIMES reporter asked J. D. Wilde of Melrose, Mass., what he thought of the local outlook. Mr. Wilde has spent several winters at the Raymond, with his family. The summers he passes at his eastern home, and this winter he rented T. P. Croft's house, on Orange Grove avenue.

Mr. Wilde has always taken a keen interest in Pasadena, and has always kept a watchful eye on all matters pertaining to the welfare and growth of the town. To the reporter he stated, without hesitating, that he had never returned here in the fall to witness such marked progress during the summer months as have been manifested this season. Mr. Wilde is not only particularly impressed by the surprising number of new buildings that have been erected during the summer, or which are now in process of completion, but he is astonished as well at the scarcity of furnished houses that are now offered for rent.

Mr. Wilde is decidedly of the opinion that Pasadena is on the upgrade, and that this season will bear record to her being one of the most progressive towns in the State. He suggested, however, as a matter of primary importance, that Colorado street be paved from the new Terminal Station to Marengo avenue, a matter in which all thinking citizens will be interested.

**TENNIS HAS THE FLOOR.**  
The tennis tournament at the Columbia Avenue Club's grounds opened under most auspicious circumstances yesterday. The number of contestants was large and much interest is being manifested in the result of the several events.

Yesterday's play was first confined to the men's singles. In the first round Fred Roche beat E. H. Hull 6-0, 6-1. Don Gilvray beat Rowan 6-3, 1-6, 6-3. Hovey beat Daggett, 6-2, 6-0, and Picher beat Coleman, 6-1, 6-0. In the semi-finals Roche beat Gilvray, 3-6, 6-0, 6-3, and Picher beat Hovey 6-2, 6-1. The finals will be played today.

In the mixed doubles the drawing has resulted as follows: For Picher and Tracy Cloude vs. Charlie Coleman and Louise Hugs; Charles Hovey and Ruth Daggett vs. Don McGilvray and Blossom Vallette; Robert Rowan and Frank Bole against Fred Roche and Helen Daggett; John Daggett and Edith Rowland against Edo Hull and Nettie Hugs. The tournament will be concluded today.

**PASADENA BREVELS.**  
Yesterday was decidedly cooler. The grippe is prevalent in town to a mild degree.

W. T. Solomon has returned from a business trip to Chicago, and the signs were in favor of rain.

L. L. Evans left yesterday for a brief visit to San Bernardino.

The organ recital at the Presbyterian Church last night was largely successful.

The Raymond Hotel will open December 15, and a prosperous season is anticipated.

J. T. Bingham leaves this morning for a few days' hunting trip in the vicinity of Long Beach.

General Passenger Agent Hynes, of the Santa Fe road came out to Pasadena on the overland yesterday.

Several large parties of well known citizens of town came for a moonlight drive on San Gabriel last night.

Drop a postal to J. J. Young, South Pasadena, and have Browne's lamp heating stove brought to you on trial.

A lot of groceries were received in Pasadena this week from Chicago, billed to Nash Bros., our popular cash grocers.

George Schmidt is at San Diego in attendance upon the convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

Justice H. H. Rose, during the course of a hunting expedition Thanksgiving day in the La Cañana Valley, captured thirty quail.

The A. C. Foss baseball nine will meet the University nine this afternoon at the Athletic Club grounds, and an exciting contest is looked for.

C. C. Harding was among yesterday's visitors, having returned here for the winter. Mr. Harding will not visit California until later in the season.

Invitations have been extended by Mr. and Mrs. George F. Granger for a whist party at their residence on St. Johns avenue Friday evening December 2.

A family Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed on Thursday at the Salvation Army barracks, over forty soldiers and twenty children partaking of the feast.

Rev. Mr. Savory will lecture as usual on Sunday morning at the Operahouse Hall at 11 o'clock. The subject of his discourse will be "My Appeal to Caesar."

The anniversary 10 per cent. discount sale at White's dry goods store continues today. Last chance for another year of buying goods at 90 cents on the dollar at White's.

The Sons of Veterans met last evening in their rooms in the Doty block, and nominations for officers for the following year were made. An election will be held Friday, December 9.

Hon. Joseph Medill is taking steps for the immediate erection of a new home upon the site of the house burned a few nights ago. The insurance money was on here today to adjust the losses.

In the case of John Perret, brought before Judge Gardner on the charge of cruelty to animal, the jury brought a verdict of acquittal. Capt. A. D. Yocum argued the case for the plaintiff.

On Saturday afternoon of next week Mrs. Charles A. Gardner will give a Scotch musical tea for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, at her residence, on East Colorado street.

Hamlin Garland of Boston is among recent visitors and guests of Mrs. E. E. Farr. Mr. Garland is on a lecturing tour en route for Santa Barbara, and on his return here will lecture before the Ruskin Art Club in Los Angeles.

The farce, *That Rascal Pat*, will be given at Hotel Green during Christmas week by local talent for the benefit of the World's Fair fund. The cast of the play has already been made and rehearsals will soon be under way.

Mrs. R. M. Furlong has returned from Santa Fe Springs after an extended absence. Her return home was delayed by a serious injury, resulting from a fall from a carriage. Mrs. Furlong is still in an invalid condition.

The regular Thanksgiving services will be held at the Universalist Church tomorrow morning. Prof. Keyes will deliver an address on "Some of the Uses of Thanksgiving." There will be appropriate music for the occasion.

Preparations are being made by the society ladies for an elaborate german to be given between Christmas and New Years, probably the last day of the year. The affair will be given by the ladies as a final leap year entertainment.

The *Chimes of Normandy* will be given at the operahouse here on Thursday evening December 1, under the direction of O. Stewart Taylor. This opera was given recently in Los Angeles with the greatest possible success. A change has been made in the cast, giving Mrs. Clapp the part of "Germaine" and Miss Cullen "Serpolette."

## SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

## The Curio and Flower Show at the Pavilion.

An Attractive Entertainment Provided by the Ladies—Thanksgiving Day Races at Riverside—Redlands and Colton News.

## SAN BERNARDINO.

The curio, art and floral show being held at the Pavilion by the people of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, is for the purpose of raising the debt upon the church property, and the support given the enterprise by the patrons of the exhibition is gratifying. The big dinner on Thanksgiving day, at which the ladies sat down at the first sitting, and several hundred followed, was succeeded by a novel entertainment in the evening, which was enjoyed by a large audience. The entertainment consisted of a flag drill, in which thirty-two young ladies engaged, representing eight nationalities, four to each country represented. The girls were well drilled, going through the numerous evolutions with a grace and ease that was most commendable. Although they had been drilling but a short time, it being difficult to get the ladies all together for many rehearsals, they had acquired such naturalness under the skillful guidance of "Cap" Nickerson as to rival the professionals upon the stage. It is probable that this drill, and some of the features of each evening's program, will be given tonight in order that those who have heretofore been prevented from going may have an opportunity of seeing them.

**SAN BERNARDINO BREVELS.**  
There are now over 450 books out of the city library among readers. Work will soon begin on Third street, from F to the Santa Fe depot. Zanonella Zimmerman and Fredonia Frame were licensed to wed on Wednesday. County Auditor Soule is back from Arizona, and ate turkey with his family.

The hearing of the motion for a new trial in the Walters murder case comes up on Monday. At the last meeting of the City Trustees it was decided to put an electric light on the corner of Base Line and Mt. Vernon avenue.

As the first half of the county taxes became delinquent on Monday, the tax collector's office has been a busy place for several days.

Union services were held Thanksgiving day in the First Methodist Episcopal Church. The Thanksgiving sermon was preached by Rev. Fuller of the Methodist Church.

The Tax Collector's office has been the busiest place in the county for several days past, and by the way people are paying up, and likely to be a small delinquent list this year.

**RIVERSIDE.**  
Hall's new racecourse was opened on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day with a large list of races for home horses, at which there was an attendance of several thousand people. The course is in the low ground in the southwestern part of the city, a half-mile beyond Chinatown, and the track is a little spongy and heavy. It is a half-mile track and the outer edge is well raised in the center, and the grandstands are well patronized, and the four hundred and odd vehicles were most of them occupied by spectators.

The races were opened shortly after 1 o'clock, the first on the program being a trotting race (second class), mile heats, best two in three. The first and third heats were won by Santa Clara, Baker's, a Kitawake second; time 0:57 4-5. The trot in class 1 followed, in which C. P. Hayt's Ike won two straight heats and the race; time 2:00 1-2. This was the first of interest shown in this race than most of the others; but Alguire's Prince Albert was the favorite before the race, and he won the third heat by a neck.

A half-mile dash running race was next, in which Waring's Telephone was winner in 34 seconds.

Trotting race (class 3) was won by Eckert's Nellie B. in two straight heats, with Schell's Gyp a close second. Time 2:58 1-2, 2:51 3-5, 2:51 2-5.

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city to Riverside tonight to accommodate those who wish to see Julia Marlowe in *Twelfth Night*. About sixty have signified their intention of going.

**COLTON.**  
A. F. Judson will leave the first of the week for El Paso, Tex., where he goes as a delegate to the National Miners' Convention, having been appointed by the Governor.

H. S. Fox and wife have stored their furniture and left for an indefinite vacation. The parents of W. S. Bullis were up from Los Angeles to spend Thanksgiving with their son.

On Tuesday a Santa Fe train ran into and killed a steer belonging to W. H. De Herri, the owner of the steer, who killed the animal by the train within the past four weeks.

Justice Sprecher performed the ceremony on Tuesday night which united in marriage Senadi Belarde and Tomas Garcia at the home of Jesus M. del Castillo at San Salvador.

John M. del Castillo has gone to Kern county to see if he cannot find a place he likes better than he does San Salvador.

Union service was held in the Baptist Church on Thanksgiving day. Rev. P. M. Tinsler of the Methodist Episcopal Church delivering the discourse.

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## ORANGE COUNTY.

## The Morris-Quirk Foot Race Likely to Be Arranged.

It Will Be for \$5000 a Side, and Will Be Run in Santa Ana—Aspirants for the Postoffice Rapidly Multiplying—News Notes.

## SANTA ANA.

From present indications the great foot race between Tom Morris of Santa Ana and Quirk, the foot-footed Canadian, who arrived a few days ago from the East for the purpose of making a match with the Santa Ana man, will soon be arranged. Morris has informed the TIMES representative that he is ready to make the race, but it must be run in Santa Ana. He will not go to Los Angeles or San Francisco, claiming that he can run just as well at home as abroad, and that it is not necessary, now that both men are here in Southern California, to think of going away from home either to win or to lose a race. Quirk was expected to arrive in Santa Ana last evening to make final arrangements for the race, which, it is reported, will be for \$5000 a side, after which he will go into training on the Santa Ana track. This will surely be one of the greatest foot races ever seen in the United States. Morris, like Silkwood, has shown phenomenal bursts of speed. Quirk holds the world's record for seventy-five yards. If the day of the match and both men are in the best of condition when the race is run, the world's record is likely to get smashed right here in Orange county.

**POSTOFFICE OFFICE.**  
New aspirants for the postoffice in this city are becoming more numerous than there are days in the week if half the stories being circulated on the streets are true. Those most prominent in the race are reported to be as follows: Capt. J. C. McCabe, Walter B. Tedford, R. M. Dungan, J. A. Wilkes, C. C. Fife, J. S. Roberts, George P. Benson, and Thomas B. Van Alstyne. Capt. J. C. McCabe, W. B. Tedford and Thomas B. Van Alstyne are reported as already having petitions in the field, which are liberally signed by the taxpayers of Tustin, Anaheim, Orange and Santa Ana. By the 4th of March, and after, the postoffice matter is expected to be an interesting issue with many Santa Anans.

**SANTA ANA BREVELS.**  
Superior Court has adjourned until Monday.

Orange county will have a 233 pound pumpkin in its World's Fair exhibit.

The rain Wednesday night amounted to .13 of an inch, making .33 for the season. A sturdy rain in Los Angeles today in the interests of the World's Fair Association.

J. Yock received a message yesterday announcing the death of his brother in Bellefontaine, Ohio.

Otto Lescher, a plain drunk, was taken before City Recorder Matthews yesterday, and fined \$15.

The Santiago coal mines are furnishing from fifteen to twenty tons of coal per day to Orange county consumers.

The drop of the temperature yesterday brought out overcoats and gloves, and is taken as an indication of rain.

Religious services will begin next Monday at the Methodist Church in Westminster, and continue through the week.

Miss Ida Nell entertained a number of her friends at the home of her parents on Fourth street Thursday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Orange County World's Fair Association will be held in the office of the secretary today.

A large number of residents residing in the north end of the city are making connection with the city water mains this week.

The baseball enthusiasts who took such an active interest in Thursday's games, were free in the use of arnica and court plaster yesterday.

Benevolent societies did a good work in Santa Ana on Thanksgiving day. As a result of their kindly work many families have reason to be grateful.

The members of Co. F indulged in an interesting target practice out on the San Joaquin range on Thanksgiving. The distance shot was 300 yards.

The Holiness Church at Bolsa, across the river from Santa Ana, has been enjoying a





## CITY BRIEFS

### NEWS AND BUSINESS.

**The Weather.**  
U. S. WEATHER OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, NOV. 25, 1892.—At 5 a.m. the barometer registered 29.99; at 5 p.m. 29.98. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 42° and 55°. Minimum temperature, 41°. Character of weather, partly cloudy.

**WEATHER BUREAU.**  
Reports received at Los Angeles on November 25. Observations taken at all stations at 8 p.m., 75th meridian time:

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain in last 24 hours, in inches.
Los Angeles.	29.98	55	62	42	0
San Diego.	30.00	56	66	42	0
Piedra.	29.99	42	48	36	0
San Francisco.	29.94	50	56	36	0
Sacramento.	29.96	48	54	36	0
Red Bluff.	29.98	48	54	36	0
El Centro.	29.98	48	54	36	0
Portland.	29.98	48	54	36	0

GEORGE E. FRANKLIN, Observer.

A novel invention whereby the celebrated Rochester lamp is being used, as an oil-heating device; over 300 have been sold since October 20, 1892. They are made in three sizes, viz.: Nos. 1, 2 and 3, the No. 1 being the largest and forty-eight inches high. They are gotten up in the most attractive manner, being elaborately nickel-plated and conformed by all who have seen them to be not only the handsomest, but the best oil-heating stove ever put on the market. The Nos. 1 and 2 will warm an ordinary room in a few minutes, and is capable of heating two or more rooms, and is the most economical way of doing it. Being a lamp, the combustion is perfect, consequently no odor, and every one is guaranteed to please or no sale. The inventor is F. E. Browne, Nos. 314 and 316 South Spring street, where they can be seen in operation and sent for circular.

One fare to San Diego for the round trip over the Santa Fe route, the 25th and 26th, tickets good returning ten days from date of sale. On and after the famous del Coronado and see the city by the bay.

The kite-shaped track is the only line of railway that runs through the citrus groves, mountains and meadows of Southern California. One fare for the round trip via the Southern California Railway (Santa Fe route) Sunday, the 27th.

Still moving onward. The mammoth wharf at San Pedro is now out 2750 feet. The best building on the southern coast is off this wharf. Southern Pacific Sunday trains run to the end of wharf. Round trip, 30 cents.

Last day of Stanton W.R.C. carnival at Turnverein Hall. Dinner today, 25 cents. Entertainment tonight, 25 cents. Auction of articles at close. Concessions at 10 cents on the handsome silk quilt for your choice for Mavor.

Eastern oysters, any style, 50 cents a dozen. Catering for weddings and parties in or out of the city. Hollenbeck Hotel, 124 West Second street, between Spring and Main. J. E. Aull, proprietor.

Through the courtesy of Miss J. A. Williams, milliner, who is going to occupy store room, No. 124 South Spring street, John W. Hall's great selling-out sale will continue for five days more.

Mr. F. A. Lombard, the well-known tailor, announces to his patrons that he is now located at the Palace of Fashion, No. 128 West Second street, between Spring and Main.

First Baptist Church, corner Broadway and Sixth. Preaching, morning; evening, praise and song service, assisted by a splendid orchestra; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Everybody is going to Arrowhead Hot Springs this season. Carriages meet trains at San Bernardino and Arrowhead Station. City office at Coulter's store.

One fare for the round trip to all points on the Southern California Railway (Santa Fe route), on Sunday.

All kinds of sewing machines for rent; also sewing machines repaired, at No. 128 South Main street.

Children's straight goat, patent tip button, 8 to 10, \$1.50. Hews, No. 105 North Spring street.

Fine cabinet photos reduced to \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam Gallery, No. 230 South Main street.

Watson's Peerless Polish is the only shoe dressing containing no acid, alcohol or ammonia.

A. W. Swanfeldt, tents and awnings, removed to No. 247 South Main street; see ad. Half price on the Southern Pacific tomorrow to all local points from Los Angeles.

Ladies' cloth top button, \$3. Every pair warranted. Hews, 105 N. Spring st.

The Grand View Hotel, Monrovia, opens November 3. See ad. first page.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Royal Baking Powder

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appendix, which will be used at said election, will be sent to the printer early on Wednesday morning.

It was reported last night that Dr. Floyd, who was at first supposed to be "Black John," the mysterious suicide, had returned to the city for the purpose of proving that he was not dead. The doctor is quoted in a San Francisco paper as saying that he would ride through the city in a four-horse team for this purpose. If the doctor arrived, he did not register at any of the leading hotels.

Coroner Widon held an inquest yesterday morning on the body of Ah Sheer, the Chinaman, who died suddenly in a French woman's place on Alameda street, night before last. Police Surgeon Bryant made a post-mortem, and found that the Chinaman died from heart disease and pleurisy. The coroner's jury returned a verdict accordingly. The woman, who was present when he died and was locked up to await investigation, was discharged from custody as soon as the jury returned a verdict.

Elias Longley, of the Longley Shorthand Institute of this city, has recently been appointed a member of the Advisory Committee of the World's Fair Stenographers' Association. Mr. Longley is one of the pioneer reporters and teachers of the shorthand art in this country, and is the oldest living reporter in the United States who still practices his profession. The advancement of the shorthand profession owes much to his untiring efforts, and the honor of the appointment is well merited.

The Chamber of Commerce received notification some time since that it would be entitled to send delegates to the Nicaragua Canal Convention to convene in New Orleans on the 30th inst. Credentials have, therefore, been sent to the following gentlemen, now residents of the Crescent City, but all property owners of Southern California: Dr. William Bogel, Durant de Ponte, Judge J. M. Bonney, Col. Charles A. Landon and Henry Gardes. Nearly all of the gentlemen were in Southern California last winter and will faithfully represent the interests of this section.

### STILL IN HIDING.

Buck Holliday Not Yet Found.—Burton's Side of the Story.

Burton, the gambler who had a shooting scrape with Buck Holliday, in front of the poker rooms at No. 112, was released yesterday morning, as no complaint had been lodged against him, and the police becoming convinced that he did not begin the quarrel, but, on the other hand, he did all in his power to pacify Holliday.

Burton finally consented to talk, and stated that he and Holliday have had trouble regarding gambling affairs. A few minutes before the shooting, Holliday entered the poker room, where several, including Burton, were playing cards. Holliday drew his pistol and invited the occupants to leave the room, as he intended to have trouble with Burton.

All hurried out except Wright, the proprietor, who attempted to secure Holliday's pistol, but failed, and he took both men by the shoulder and hustled them out to the sidewalk. Holliday then struck Burton several blows, and when Burton said he had enough Holliday smashed him over the head with his pistol and began to back at him into the street. As he did so, he raised his pistol and fired five shots in rapid succession, when Burton returned the fire by discharging his pistol once, as was stated yesterday morning.

The detectives and police have kept up the search for Holliday ever since the shooting, but have not been able to unearth him. It is supposed that he is concealed in one of the lodging-houses in the city.

One of the women who has been intimate with him informed the police that the shooting was over her, but Burton denies that he knows anything about the woman.

Officer Hentsley, who had three bones in his left foot broken, while chasing Holliday on horseback, was removed to his home yesterday, and was resting easy last night. The doctors say that it is more than likely that he will be a cripple, as the horse in falling on his leg crushed the bones in such a manner that they cannot be properly set.

The horse ridden by Hentsley, which belongs to Officer Huston, had several of his ribs broken.

### What's Joe?

[Appropos of the circulation fight between the Chicago Tribune and the Inter Ocean, the Dispatch prints some verses by "Hyder Ali" which must any one out this way can answer. They go like this:]

It's allus kind o' funny, ef a fellow goes  
How his friends will call around and ask ter  
see him ev'ry day.  
An' they'll ask o' ye this question in a sort  
o' careless way:

"What's Joe?"  
They kinder think yer guardian ter the fust  
thet they has gone.  
No matter ef yer sickly, an' yer friend a  
man o' brawn,  
They'll lay fer ye on the corners an' they'll  
ask ef he's gone:

"What's Joe?"  
Which reminds me thet H. H. Kohlhaas bez  
a posted o' his cash  
Fer to show ther Inter Ocean is a cuttin'  
away a dash.

An' them fellers in the Tribune er a-goin' all ter smash:  
"What's Joe?"

For a moral man ter wager on a cerculatin' game  
Looks ter me jest like er gamble an' a  
downright bloomin' shame.  
But ther Tribune did ther blum'n, an' I  
rise to ask again:

"What's Joe?"  
Locked Up on Suspicion.

A man named Fred Freeman was arrested last night for cashing a check for \$21 signed by Mrs. Judge Raymond of Alhambra. When it was learned that the lady had no account at any of the banks he was arrested and locked up on suspicion. He says he has been working for Judge Raymond, and as there was no money in the house when he quit work, he was given a check for his wages.

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### IN SOCIAL SPHERES.

BARBOCK-MINTYRE.

The following is clipped from Thursday's San Diego Union:

A quiet wedding occurred at 8:30 last evening at Coronado, Dr. William D. Babcock and Miss Harriet J. McIntyre being united in marriage at the residence of the groom's mother. Only immediate relatives and friends were present, no cards being issued. Dr. Babcock is a brother of E. S. Babcock and is a practicing physician of Los Angeles. The bride, a young lady highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends, is also a resident of Los Angeles. Dr. and Mrs. Babcock will spend Thanksgiving at Coronado, returning to Los Angeles for permanent residence Friday afternoon.

OPERA COMPANY ENTERTAINED.

Thanksgiving night at their elegant home in Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stewart Taylor entertained the chorus who recently assisted in giving the *Chimera* at the Woodbury Business College on Wednesday evening, so successfully. Eight or ten couples went out in a four-in-hand tally-ho chaperoned by Mrs. Carlisle and Mrs. Cullen. The coach was driven by the genial Budinger, who handled the ribbons in ideal Hank Monk style. They danced until midnight and then reluctantly turned their faces homeward. Miss Bennett and Miss McDonald, Maud Cullen, May Luitweiler, Franc Strang, Lottie Pinkham, Mabel Longley and Louise Soule were in the party as well as Messrs. Barr, Jaynes, Joseph P. Dupuy, William C. Allen, Alex. Greer, Victor Wankowski and Gregory Perkins.

WOODBURY COLLEGE SOCIAL.

The 215 students and their friends assembled at the Woodbury Business College on Wednesday evening, to enjoy the social and entertainment provided by the faculty and students. The college hall was very prettily decorated, and a most enjoyable programme was presented. The opening number, a double quartette from the Ideal Guitars and Banjo Club, received a hearty encore. Miss Kalkoff gave recitation and Prof. Willie a piano solo. The Baldwin children sang some of their most taking songs, bringing forth a tumult of applause. Prof. E. C. Wilson played very beautifully upon the violin, and Miss Nina Claubert and Lillie Buckingham gave some very enjoyable recitations. A guitar quartette and a banjo duet by Miss Windheim and Mr. Thomas concluded the programme. After a social and promenade the audience dispersed.

A GARVANZA CLUB.

Garvanza revels in a woman's club. It has twenty-two members who meet every Wednesday afternoon to discuss education, philanthropy, reform, home and social affairs. Miss M. E. Abbott is president, Mrs. M. S. Newman vice-president and Miss C. A. Somerville secretary.

COMING FESTIVITIES.

The young ladies of St. Paul's Guild will hold their annual bazaar at Turnverein Hall this year, the increasing popularity of these entertainments having outgrown the accommodations of St. Paul's Hall. Some bright and original entertainments may be expected, as the young ladies are adepts in this line. The bazaar will be given on December 9 and 10.

The Cottillon Club has suddenly come to life and issues cards for the first of a series of three Germans on December 19, at Turnverein Hall. It is to be a leap year party, and one of the ladies of the club will lead the German. Mmes. C. J. Ellis, William Pridham, J. Wigmore, C. Coie, E. J. Gorham and J. F. Crank are the patronesses. An advisory committee of ten ladies and gentlemen appoint officers and club committees.

IN THE SOCIAL SWIM.

Congressman Taylor of Cleveland is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne of Cleveland, O., who have been guests of the Westminister, go to Coronado today for a brief visit, returning here next week. Mr. Payne is a prominent hotel man of Cleveland, and, with his wife, is "doing" Southern California. Yesterday they visited Lucky Baldwin's ranch, and on Thanksgiving day were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Whiting of this city.

Rev. R. Logan and Miss Logan of Santa Paula are guests at the Westminster.

Mrs. Dr. Parker of Pasadena is the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Breese, of South Grand avenue.

Miss Somerville of Garvanza is the guest of her mother, Mrs. George A. Fitch, at Temperance Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Comstock of Sacramento and Miss Comstock of Berkeley are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crooks of Santa Barbara at the Hollenbeck.

J. J. Gosper has returned from a business trip to San Francisco, and is now at the San Francisco Grower, arrived from the north yesterday on a short business trip. He reports his new venture flourishing.

Wells Drury, editor of the Sacramento Daily News, who came down to attend the meeting of the Editorial Association, and who was paid with this section that he could not get away, came up from Redondo yesterday. He goes north this evening.

RELIABLE LIFE INSURANCE.

At half the usual rates. Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, New York, one of the world's most popular companies, who will pay for the next sixty days a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of any of the offenders.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.—In consequence of the many complaints of the theft of THE TIMES from its subscribers in this city, we will pay for the next sixty days a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of any of the offenders.

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On November 26, 1836, John Loudon Macadam, died at Moffat, England.

He has earned the tribute of remembrance by giving good roads to Great Britain, and a new word to the English language. He began the improvement of highways in 1815, and soon showed himself to be the great road reformer of the 19th century. His plan of macadamized roads has been generally adopted in this country.

We have a plan; we started it about three months ago; it's a good one for you to watch. Look at our ad. every day and you will see something new and interesting. Monday we begin keeping open evenings, giving all an opportunity to see our well-selected stock of Christmas presents. Those ladies' dressing jackets at \$8.00 each are beautiful.

KAN KOO,  
110 S. Spring-st.  
Opposite Nadeau.

CAMEL'S CURIOUS

Special Sales Each Week  
Until Christmas of  
Holiday Goods.

Reduction  
20 to 25 Per Cent  
On Xmas Presents.

New Invoice of Feather Cards, Onyx, Rag Figures and Opals from Mexico. "Aloha" Fans from Honolulu. Fine Indian Baskets decorated with feathers that I just got from the Indians last week. Finest ever seen in Los Angeles.

Campbell's Curiosity Store,

Open at Night.

Mosgrove's Dressmaking!  
This department is under the management of the most experienced and thorough cutter and fitter on this coast. For perfection of fit, style, and originality of design, she is without a peer. Tourists can have their suits made in one day's time and be assured of satisfaction. Mourning suits given special attention. Bring in your own material, or you can select from a selection of our own exclusive class of novelty dress patterns from my stock. Prices as low as any first-class costumer.

Furs Altered and Repaired.  
All kinds of fur work done in the house, and in place in Southern California. Seal skins noticed, renovated and dyed; short notice and at very reasonable prices. All work guaranteed first-class.

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ORANGE & LEMON LANDS

Arlington Heights,

Riverside, Cal.

These excellent lands are offered at low prices, considering that they are in the midst of the most famous orange region in the world. Are under the Gage Canal System and have an abundance of water, which is sold outright with the land. Send for descriptive pamphlet.

The Riverside Trust Co.,

[Limited.]

Joe Poheim, The Tailor

Makes the best fitting clothes in the State at 25 per cent less than any other house on the Pacific Coast.

Suits Order From \$18. Pants From \$5.

Rules for self-measurement and samples sent free to any address.

143 S. Spring Street, Los Angeles.

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Hundreds of other testimonials are on file in the doctor's office which he has received from his numerous American patients, whom he has cured from all manner of diseases. Large and commodious rooms for the accommodation of patients. Consultation Free.

JAPANESE PILE CURE

A new and complete treatment, consisting of Suppositories, Ointment in Capsules, also in box and pills, a positive cure for external, internal, blind or bleeding. Relieving chronic, recent or hereditary piles. This remedy has never been known to fail. 50¢ per box, 6 for \$5, sent by mail. Why suffer from this terrible disease when a written guarantee is positively given with six boxes. To refund the money if not cured. Send stamp for free sample. Guarantee issued by C. F. FREINZMAN, Druggist, sole agent, 220 North Main St., Los Angeles, Cal.

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LUMBER YARD AND PLANING MILLS,  
Commercial Street.



Our Little Talk!

Ending November's trade with a rush. We quote prices to increase sales; we make offerings to attempt a larger showing than any previous month in the annals of this house. We can do it, and by the aid of the magnetic musical melody of prices send the sales upward. We have no fear to append prices; we give them right and left; we quote them honest and above board, and allow all competing merchants to cut under if they can. One of New York's largest advertisers says: "A model advertisement should be 'written with honest facts briefly and clearly stated. Let descriptions be terse with prices annexed, and all arranged in such a manner that intending purchasers can quickly find 'those things of which they are in quest.' We think likewise, and any merchant afraid to let competition cope with him by refraining to advertise prices, is open to public comment.

Book Department Now Open.

Window Specials.

Corded Suitings, 32 in. wide.....6c  
Fall Dress Gingham, best make.....6 1/2 c  
Tennis Flannels, dark colors.....9c yd  
Oatmeal Towels, superior quality.....15c  
Ladies' Ribbed Vests.....25c  
Ladies' Guaranteed Black Hose.....12 1/2 c  
Ladies' Silk Hosiery.....15c  
All-wool Red Flannel.....17c yd  
Bleached Table Damask, 60 inches wide.....45c  
Black Sateen Skirts, lace trimmed.....90c  
Ladies' Gossamers, splendid quality.....\$1.00  
Turkey Red Table Covers.....\$1.00  
Ladies' Fancy Shawls.....\$1.00  
Fine Bed Comforters.....\$1.25  
White Blankets.....\$1.98  
Ladies' Black Jackets, fur trimmed.....\$10.00

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Honest Made Goods at Honest Prices.

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Ages 4 to 14, Knee Pants Suits.....5.00  
Ages 10 to 18, Long Pants.....2.75  
Ages 10 to 18, Long Pants.....3.75  
Ages 10 to 18, Long Pants.....4.50  
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Christmas Slippers for Gentlemen.

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Theodore Satin Tie, latest English importation, \$2.75; worth \$3.75.

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Hand-turned Dongola Oxford, patent leather tip, \$1.75; worth \$2.50.

Ladies' Hand-turned Shoes, French kid vamp, patent leather tip, \$3.50; worth \$4.50.

Ladies' "Imperial" Kid Shoes, soft and flexible, \$2.00; worth \$3.00.

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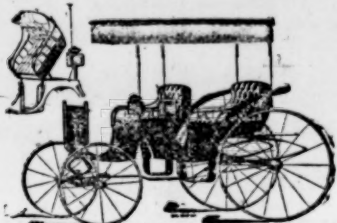


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## THE COURTS.

### Two More Burglars Sent to State's Prison.

Sentence Passed on John Williams and George Wilson.

### Surrender of William L. Vail to the United States Marshal.

Released on \$1500 Bail to Appear Before Judge Ross on Monday Next for Arraignment - Divorce Suits Commenced - Notes.

John Williams and George Wilson appeared before Judge Smith in Department One yesterday for arraignment upon the charges of burglary preferred against them, the former being accused of having entered the Ninth street car barn on the night of November 11, and the latter with having burglarized the residence of P. L. Hoffman at No. 818 Temple street on October 21 last. Each of the defendants entered his plea of guilty, and waived all his legal rights in the premises, whereupon the Court convicted Williams of burglary in the first degree and sentenced him to San Quentin penitentiary for the term of three years, and Wilson of burglary in the second degree. It being shown, however, that on October 2, 1891, the latter was convicted of a burglary committed at the Westminster Hotel, he was sentenced to Folsom penitentiary for five years.

### GAVE HIMSELF UP.

William L. Vail, editor and publisher of the Arizona Republican of Phoenix, Ariz., surrendered himself to the United States Marshal yesterday, he having been indicted by the Federal Grand Jury recently upon the charge of having taken a letter from the Pasadena postoffice on November 30, 1891, addressed to William Vail, and containing a check on the San Gabriel Valley Bank for \$20, knowing that the same was not for him. He was subsequently released upon bonds in the sum of \$1500 to ensure his appearance for arraignment in the United States District Court on Monday next.

### ADJUDGED INSANE.

E. T. Collins, a native of Idaho, 24 years of age, and a printer by occupation, was duly adjudged insane and committed to the State asylum at Stockton by Judge Smith yesterday afternoon, in accordance with the recommendations of Drs. Bicknell and Wernick, the commissioners appointed by the Court to examine the patient. The unfortunate youth, who has been subject to epileptic fits since he was five years of age, recently developed signs of mania, and after threatening his father and stepmother, brought matters to a crisis by attacking a policeman with a knife.

### ARRAIGNED FOR BURGLARY.

Judge Smith arraigned Jack Burke and Francisco Guzman upon the charges of burglary preferred against them, yesterday morning, and allowed them until Monday next to plead thereto. Burke is accused of having broken into W. Schwencert's grocery store, on East First street on October last; while Guzman is charged with having entered Francisco Hernandez's house at Azusa on October 21 last.

### Court Notes.

Suits for divorce upon various statutory grounds have been commenced by Mrs. Mary Belshaw against William Belshaw, and by Mrs. Beatrice R. Howard against William H. Howard.

Judge Clark, yesterday morning, denied the motion to consolidate the cases of Eunice Behlow vs. W. E. Tomson and vice versa, and in the latter case denied the defendant's motion to amend her answer.

Upon motion of the District Attorney the case against Joaquin Monroy, charged with having stabbed Candelario Balba at San Joaquin on July 11, last, was dismissed by Judge Smith, and the defendant discharged, yesterday morning, the evidence being insufficient to warrant his conviction.

The indictment on file against W. Paul, charged with perjury in connection with his registration, being defective, Judge Smith yesterday morning, upon motion of the District Attorney, set that document aside and referred the matter back to the grand jury, over the defendant's exceptions thereto.

Charles J. Iverson, a Norwegian, was duly admitted to citizenship of the United States by Judge Smith yesterday upon producing the necessary proofs of residence here, and taking the requisite oaths of renunciation and allegiance, and Judge Shaw performed a like service for Joseph H. Bradbeer, a Canadian.

Sarah Collins, a well-developed colored girl, 14 years of age, was yesterday taken before Judge Smith for examination, upon complaint of her mother, who charged her with being incorrigible, and filed an application for her commitment to the Western Reformatory school, but it appearing from the testimony of neighbors that the girl was not vicious, she was discharged.

The case of C. L. Patrick vs. M. J. Mosmer et al., an action to foreclose a vendor's lien on three lots in block B3, of the first addition to the town of Montevideo, came up for hearing in Department Two yesterday, and at the close of the testimony Judge Clark ordered the matter submitted upon brief, each side being allowed fifteen days within which to prepare the same.

Judge Wade tried the case of J. W. Cook vs. William Niles, an action to recover \$484 due on a promissory note, and ordered judgment for the plaintiff therein, as prayed. A similar order was made in the case of Charles Victor Burke vs. E. T. Collins, an action in controversy being \$500 and interest.

The case of C. E. Pattison vs. the Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Railway Company, an action to quiet title to a piece of land in this city, was ordered to be submitted upon briefs, by Judge Wade yesterday afternoon, each side being allowed five days' time in which to prepare the same.

The argument in the cases of the Northwestern National Bank vs. William Alvord et al., and E. W. Russell vs. the Pacific Railway Company, was concluded before Judge Van Dyke and began yesterday afternoon, and began under cover until his troubles with his wife are settled.

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Among the documents filed with the County Clerk yesterday were the preliminary papers in the following new cases:

Petition of W. W. Neuner for appointment as guardian of Elizabeth Neuner, his minor granddaughter.

H. Greenwalt vs. P. F. Phelan et al.; suit to recover \$5000 alleged to be due as attorney's fees.

California Bank vs. John P. Moran et al.; suit to foreclose a mortgage for \$8000.

W. F. Whittier et al. vs. W. S. Ganett et al.; suit to foreclose a mechanic's lien for \$17.75.

J. E. Reid vs. Stearns Manufacturing Company; suit to recover \$2300 damages for alleged breach of contract.

Petition of F. M. Price for letters of administration to the estate of Henry Wollenweber, deceased, who died in February, 1891, leaving an estate at Hanover, Germany, valued at \$1000.

W. R. Burke vs. W. H. Workman; suit to recover \$500 for services rendered in negotiating a loan.

Petition in insolvency of John Gould, a dealer in farm implements, who attributes his failure to "hard times, depression in business and adverse circumstances."

D. F. Donegan vs. E. C. Burlingame; suit to recover \$2000 alleged to be due on a promissory note.

Clark & Humphreys vs. Freeman G. Teed et al.; suit to foreclose a mechanic's lien for \$68.51.

### FIGHTING FARMERS.

An Affray at Verdugo Canyon in Which One Man Was Badly Hurt.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a lively fight took place at Verdugo Canyon between a couple of farmers named George Spiker and August Kowalsky, in which Spiker was seriously hurt on the head with a shotgun in the hands of Kowalsky.

Both men were arrested by Deputy Sheriff R. G. Doyle of Glendale and brought to this city. They were lodged in the County Jail, and were seen by a Times reporter last night.

From the stories told by the two men it seems that they had been talking about going into partnership, but Spiker attempted to induce Kowalsky's hired man to leave him, and when the men met yesterday afternoon a quarrel was soon under way.

Kowalsky had been out hunting, and had his shotgun in the bed of his wagon, and when Spiker struck at him with his fist he threw his pipe, which he was smoking, at him, hitting him in the face.

At this stage in the warfare Spiker, who was standing by the wagon, grabbed the shotgun and fired at Kowalsky, just missing his head by an inch or two. Before he could fire another shot Kowalsky jumped out of the wagon and grabbed the gun, and after a short scuffle gained possession of it.

Instead of emptying the second barrel into Spiker's body, as most men would have done under the circumstances, he coolly took both the loaded and empty shells out of the gun and threw them away.

While he was doing this Spiker secured a heavy piece of cordwood and started for his enemy once more, but before he could use it Kowalsky clubbed his shotgun and knocked Spiker down.

He struck him several times, cutting three ugly gashes on his head and the left side of his face.

There were several witnesses present, and all informed the officer when he arrived that Kowalsky acted in self-defense.

Dr. Post, of the County Hospital, dressed Spiker's wounds, and pronounced them not dangerous, as the skull was not fractured.

### A \$200 Cook Stove.

On Saturday evening a young Spring street merchant made an unusually large sale, and not being the possessor of a safe, concluded to put \$200 in the ash pan of one of the cook stoves, in which he is a dealer for safe keeping over Sunday, not wishing to carry that amount on his person. Monday morning as usual the place of business was opened by the clerk. A lady, the first customer, bought the stove for \$6 and ordered it sent to her place at once, which orders were complied with. The proprietor dropped in a few hours after, and began an inquiry as to the stove. The young stove dealer lost no time in reaching the stove's destination, and finding it on the porch where the drayman had left it, extricated a roll of paper bills just as he had left them, much to his delight. The whole force afterward enjoyed a turkey dinner with the proprietor.

### Capt. Dick's Whereabouts.

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## THE WORLD'S FAIR.

### Meeting of the Los Angeles County Association.

Reports of the Various Standing Committees Presented.

### The Proposed Exhibit of the School Department.

Typical Paintings of California Scenery for the State Building—Plans for the Walnut Tower—Citrus Fruits and Trees.

The regular meeting of the Los Angeles County World's Fair Committee was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday, with the following members present: Forrester, Lukens, Stein, Teal, Klokke and Wiggins.

After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the standing committees' reports being in order, the Committee on Art and Literature read a communication from Mr. Thompson, secretary of the State Commission, wherein he stated that a space in the north wall of the State building 18x90 could be very appropriately filled with three paintings illustrating respectively Northern, Middle and Southern California, and suggested Los Angeles county filling one-third of the space with a scene that will be typical of Southern California, taken from a picturesque section of the county. The committee, however, thought the matter should be referred to the Southern California Association at its next meeting and propositions solicited from other sections of the district.

Mr. Masters, president of the Board of Trade of Pasadena, being present, presented a suggestion from the citizens of that place, which was to the effect that the painting be made from Knob Hill, just south and east of Pasadena, taking in the view from La Canada, along the mountain range to the upper San Gabriel Valley, as this will be a typical illustration of California scenery as can be found anywhere on the Coast.

A committee, consisting of Messrs. Stein, Lukens and Klokke, was appointed to look over the ground and have views taken of the same, and submit to the Southern California World's Fair Committee at its next meeting, with such recommendations as they see proper to make.

The county educational exhibit was next reported upon by the Art and Literature Committee. Mr. Hill of Pasadena, who has some experience in preparing such features for the Centennial, appeared before the committee and stated that County Superintendent Seaman had conferred with him in reference to preparing a photograph exhibit, representing 100 of the most prominent schoolhouses in the county, and understood that space for such an exhibit would be limited. He suggested an upright revolving album, wherein six large photos could be shown on each leaf, and the space occupied would not be over six feet square.

The mounting of the album can be made unique and attractive, with a handsome sign above—"Schools of Los Angeles County." Mr. Hill thinks the expense of preparing this exhibit will be about \$700, including the album frame. The matter was referred back to the Art and Literature Committee, to which Mr. Klokke was added, to investigate the feasibility of the project.

The Committee on Citrus Fruits and Fruit Trees reported trees and plants in promising condition. In the matter of citrus fruits they stated that they had succeeded in obtaining pledges of 308 boxes of oranges and ten boxes of lemons, from three districts within the county; and present prospects of the amount being increased to 900 boxes.

This fruit is to be exhibited in both State and department buildings, by the committee, and to the credit of each producer contributing, and sold before it becomes worthless to the credit of such producer. Pomona intimates that she will, for the opening, May 1, duplicate her citrus fruit exhibit, occupying 10x40 feet within the department building. This will take about 100 boxes. Mr. Roberts of Riverside, being present, said they would be on hand with a grand exhibit in this line, but as yet had not figured on a design.

On the matter of collecting this fruit was discussed, and upon motion it was decided to establish packing depots at Pomona, Pasadena and Los Angeles, where all fruits could be properly assorted and packed where the parties were not prepared to pack it themselves. If it was found necessary to establish more depots, they would be provided before time of shipment.

The Committee on Canned and Dried Fruits reported that they were having 350 pounds of raisins packed in artistic style, and 500 pounds of dried fruit put up in regulation boxes by an experienced packer.

The Committee on Wines, Honey, etc., reported securing three additional exhibits of wine, and 100 pounds extracted and 80 pounds comb honey, with good indications of having made, in early spring, a fine display of orange honey.

The Committee on Mines and Mining reported favorably on the proposition of turning the mineral exhibit over to the State department.

The Committee on Display exhibited a plan for the walnut tower, which had previously been submitted to Chief Samuel of the Horticultural Department, and by him assigned one of the most prominent places in the gallery of the north pavilion, where every one coming up stairs from either side must see it, and it will also be in full view through the open space from the floor below. This tower is made of glass show cases set octagonally over a space 10x10 feet. In the center of the show cases stands a shaft, made of plate glass, 22 inches in diameter and 15 feet high, making a total height of 23 feet; on the top of this shaft is an urn holding an immense English walnut. Another plan is also submitted for a tower for the State building. This is after the style of the one in the Chamber of Commerce. The committee was instructed to have specifications drawn and submitted to some reliable show-case factory for estimates. The two cases are estimated to cost about \$1000.

The committee reports were received and ordered filed.

Mr. Klokke informed the committee that the San Joaquin Hunting Club would make an exhibit of California game birds, mounted by Count Van

Smidt and displayed in a handsome case. After communications from both State Commission and the department were read, the committee adjourned to meet December 30.

### CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

A Minister Robbed by His Servant Girl—Heard His Benefactor.

Rev. A. J. Wells discovered the other day that a lot of table linen, silver spoons and knives and forks and fancy work were missing, and as he was confident that no burglars had entered the house, he was unable to account for the theft.

The matter was reported to the police and Detective Bosqui was detailed to make an investigation.

Yesterday morning Bosqui secured a Jane Doe search-warrant and visited the room of Mr. Wells's housemaid, and was rewarded by finding most of the stolen goods.

The girl, who is rather weak-minded, at once admitted that she took the things, but said that she did not know what prompted her to do it, except that she wanted to decorate her room.

A portion of the goods could not be found, and as the girl would not inform Bosqui where they could be found, he conducted her to the central station and locked her up, but she was not booked, and the authorities have not yet decided what course they will adopt in her case.

### An Ungrateful Wretch.

A singular case came up in Justice Austin's department of the Police Court yesterday. It seems that on Thanksgiving day a kind-hearted man saw a fellow named Phil Foley wandering about the street, and as he had the appearance of being half starved, the man thought he would give him a turkey dinner. Foley was accordingly conducted to a restaurant, and after he had eaten his fill he picked a quarrel with his new friend, and proceeded to batter him up in good shape.

Foley was too drunk yesterday to make an intelligent statement, and the Court, after finding him guilty, postponed sentence until today, when he will most likely give the ungrateful wretch a long term in the chain gang.

### Petty Offenders.

There were three drunks in the police station yesterday, but they had taken so much turkey and had whisky on Thanksgiving day that they could not be tried and their cases went over until today.

S. Valdez, who was arrested about a week ago for disturbing the peace in the old Vienna Buffet, was tried in Justice Austin's court yesterday, and the testimony went to show that Valdez was simply trying to get a drunken friend out of the place, the charge was dismissed.

Burt H. Franklin, who was arrested for battery a few days ago, was tried in the Police Court yesterday and fined \$5.

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## THE CITY CAMPAIGN.

Meeting of Fifth Ward Republicans at Washington Garden.

Short Talks by Mr. Tufts and Other Municipal Candidates.

Principles on Which the Fight is Being Made Set Forth.

Why It is to the Interest of the Taxpayers to Keep Republicans in Office — The First Democratic Ratification Meeting.

The second meeting of the Republican city campaign was held last evening at Washington Gardens, and was very well attended. Most of the candidates were present and delivered short speeches, the same considered enthusiastic feeling prevailing that marked the opening rally on the East Side last Tuesday evening.

A short time was first occupied in dispensing of incidental routine club business, W. E. Dunn acting as chairman, after which the speaking commenced.

R. D. Wade was the first speaker. Now that the great questions of national policy had been laid away and were henceforth useless as campaign powder he believed that the exact status of local affairs should be presented in a clear and intelligent manner to the people, so that they might see the propriety and advantage of casting their ballots for a set of city officers who could be relied upon as conscientious and honorable.

The Republicans were interested, as they always are and should be, in placing honest and reliable men forward for the positions.

Important matters in another ward demanded Mr. Tufts' attention and he could only briefly address the meeting. Few as they were, however, his remarks received marked attention and were heartily applauded.

Chairman Dunn said that there was one member of the Fifth Ward present who could probably outline distinctly and understandingly the points by which the campaign was governed about as well as any one. He then called on Mayor Hazard for a speech. The Mayor replied, laughing, that he had supposed that the meeting was for candidates only, but possibly as he had been surprised to find so many people present, he had decided to appear.

Many people, he said, were now crying that the Republican party was on the decline and would, in a few years, have ceased to exist. That day was never to arrive. The principles by which the great party was governed and the motives by which it was actuated were imperishable and undying. He hoped to live and see it triumph, and was confident that the city ticket would go through without a scratch.

Attorney McFarland made an interesting and effective address. The differences, economically and otherwise, between the working of the Republican and Democratic administrations were brought out in striking contrast by the comparison of the respective authentic reports. The record of the Republican party is clear, above board and legitimate.

Street Superintendent Hutchinson, being indisposed, declined to speak at length, saying he would let his work, as it was performed on the streets of the city, be the test upon which might be determined his claims for another term in the office. He had dealt fairly, squarely and honestly, and worked hard in the office, which he desired for another term if the voters saw fit to designate him as their choice.

J. W. Hinton told the people how the Assessor's office had and was being run. The responsibility of the position was great, with the liability to criticism attending in a like proportion. He didn't claim to be perfect and infallible in his judgment, but simply endeavored to do his duty in the best and most impartial way.

All assessments were made upon his personal valuation; and, if the office again fell to his lot the same treatment would be meted out.

Charles A. Luckenbach said it would be useless to appear before an intelligent audience with pledges of what he could and would do, when he had spent several years already in the City Clerk's office as deputy. He hoped the people would find it advisable to tender him their support.

Freeman G. Teed's proposition on the water and other leading questions could not be mistaken. He was in favor of the bonds and city laws as they now stood. Before the Republicans gained control of the Council there were many things permitted which have since been curtailed and suppressed.

Saloons at that time were open Sundays, and other evils ran on without dispute. His knowledge of municipal business, he hoped, would well qualify him for a seat in the next Council, which he sought.

Edward Wright, the nominee for City Engineer, made a favorable impression upon his hearers by his pleasant manner and commonsense remarks.

Fred H. Teale, candidate for City Auditor, arose upon the call of the chairman and briefly addressed the audience.

H. J. Shoulters was the last of the candidates to come forward. He was followed by J. T. Murphy, and the meeting then adjourned.

## THE DEMOCRATS.

The First Ratification of Their City Ticket.

The Democrats held their first ratification of their city ticket last night, at Metcalf and Temple streets. The residents of the hill districts, for whose edification the meeting was called, did not turn out to the extent that had been hoped for. But as about one hundred and fifty torch-bearers from the Eighth and lower end of the Second wards marched up the hill to the meeting, the speakers did not have to speak to empty benches.

Thomas E. Rowan emphasized the sentiments expressed in his published letter, and was followed by the other candidates on the ticket, who, in short speeches, endorsed the platform of the party, avoiding the whiskey controversy and endorsing the water bond question.

Martin C. Marsh, late candidate for Sheriff, presided.

The feeling is growing in the Democratic camp over the fact that the campaign is developing into a "free-for-all" scramble for office on the part of the various candidates. This is particularly the case in those offices where the patronage is large. A lively time is anticipated from now on until the day of election, which will not develop, brotherly love to any alarming extent.

## The Santa Monica Mystery.

The foreman of the Santa Monica Calf wharf was seen by a TIMES reporter yesterday afternoon, but there are no new developments in the mysterious disappearance of Victor Anderson, who left his bunk in the sleeping car on the wharf in his night clothes on the night of the 16th inst., a full account of which appeared in THE TIMES yesterday morning.

Coroner Weldon was notified several days ago, and a close watch has been kept on the beach for the body, as it is believed that a body will come ashore in a few days if a weight is not attached to it when it sinks in the water.

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## RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

Vice-President Stubbs Does Not Expect a Rate War.

But the Southern Pacific Will Take a Decided Action.

How General Managers Will Combine Against Big Verdicts.

Competition in Time of Transcontinental Trains — The Country Filling Up With Soliciting Freight Agents — Local Notes.

Referring to the St. Louis dispatch printed yesterday, stating that the Southern Pacific Company has notified its connections that, after December 31, that road would not accept tickets to Oregon or California by the way of the Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific lines, Vice-President Stubbs said in San Francisco yesterday that the Southern Pacific had given such notice, but there was no ground for the inference that a rate war would follow. "We are not satisfied," he said, "with the share we have been getting on through tickets of the character referred to, and hereafter we intend to get more. Our regular rates between here and Oregon are so low, owing to their being kept down by steamship lines, that we cannot afford to allow anything less than the full figure to connecting lines."

As has been announced heretofore the new train which the Santa Fe will put on to run between Chicago and Los Angeles, according to the schedule which goes into effect tomorrow, the transcontinental time will be shortened as to make it less than any other route. In railroad competition a reduction in time has about the same effect as a cut in rates, and the competing rival lines, to do something similar for self-protection. The Santa Fe's new "limited" train will be a great drawing card for that route, and rival lines will find it necessary to adopt some attraction to secure their share of the passenger business to the Coast. A war in time, and the increase of convenience offered the traveling public are as desirable as a war in rates.

General managers are giving more attention during the present year than ever before to the question of damages for personal injuries on their respective lines, says the Toledo Blade. In many instances the suits have been so numerous that the profits of the roads have been absorbed in this way. The problem now to solve and one which is occupying their attention is, how can these personal injury suits be kept out of court. The scheme adopted by many lines, namely, every man injured on a railroad is in some way entitled to damages, and this fact has made lawyers bold in advising suits from which they derive liberal fees. A jury can render a verdict against a railroad corporation more easily than against an individual. This may all be necessary for public safety, but it is detrimental to the dividends of the stockholders.

Scrap Heap.

Fred W. Thompson, of the Rock Island, has returned from his trip to El Paso.

Henry Steere, passenger agent of the Southern Pacific in Los Angeles, returned yesterday from a pleasant trip to San Francisco.

Soliciting freight agents are already scouring the southern citrus belt to secure promises of fruit shipments. They expect to make the orange traffic this season make up for the deficiency of last.

A car designed to be readily changed from a box car to an open or platform car, or vice versa, and which may be readily opened at any part to facilitate loading or unloading, has been patented by De Witt B. Williams of La Mesa, Cal.

A Vienna correspondent says: "At a meeting of the Society of Engineers, Herr Coster described his invention of an electrical engine calling into use a locomotive, which will travel at the rate of 123 miles an hour. The building of a railway of this description is projected along the banks of the Danube, from Vienna to Buda Pesth. Each carriage will be provided with a motor, and will be designed to carry forty persons."

The number of locomotives in the United States is about thirty thousand—one to every five miles of railroad, and of cars of all kinds, 1,100,000, of which 27,000 are passenger coaches. The locomotives cost \$450,000,000; cars, \$800,000,000; making the approximate cost of the rolling stock \$1,500,000,000. Each year a freight engine hauls 35,000 tons, and a passenger engine pulls 60,000 passengers. These railways employ 725,000 persons, nearly all men, who provide a living for nearly three million people, or about one-twentieth of the whole population.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Weekly Meeting of the Board of Directors.

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce met yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There were present Directors Freeman, McGarvin, Francisco, Edwards, Jenne and Breed. In the absence of President Wells, Second Vice-President Freeman occupied the chair.

After the transaction of routine business a communication was read from Henry W. Kruckeberg, secretary of the Farmers' Institute, enclosing some resolutions passed by the institute endorsing the chamber's action in endeavoring to secure a reform in the tax delinquency laws of the State.

A communication was read from the Chamber of Commerce, asking the chamber to take action in the matter of petitioning the United States Government to establish a department of instruction in road building in the Agricultural Department. The president and secretary were authorized to sign the petition for the chamber.

A communication was read from some members of the company organized to manufacture glass, asking the chamber to endorse their request now before the Council for the gift of some land near the junction of the river and the Arroyo Seco, for the construction of a glass factory. The matter was referred to the Committee on Manufactures, W. E. Hughes, chairman.

A communication was read from the Science Association, asking the board to assist in the effort to obtain the location of one of the branch observatories in this vicinity, to be established by the new Chicago University. The secretary was instructed to draft suitable resolutions on this subject, to be presented to the board at the next meeting.

A communication was read from W. H. Hitchcock, president of the Los Angeles Medical Association, asking for the use of the hall of the chamber for the meetings of the association. It was decided to allow the use of the rooms at \$2.50 per night for all nights, except when the chamber has an occasion to meet in the room, and it was moved and carried, as the sense of the board, that more of the physicians of this city and county should become members of the chamber.

The question of setting the date for the annual meeting for the nomination of officers was discussed, and it was decided to take no action in the matter until the next meeting of the board, at which time the date of the nomination meeting will probably be set.

The matter of a joint meeting between the Chamber of Commerce and the newly-elected members of the Legislature from this county was also discussed, and it was decided to have said meeting at the same time with the meeting for the nomination of officers for the ensuing year.

The board then adjourned.

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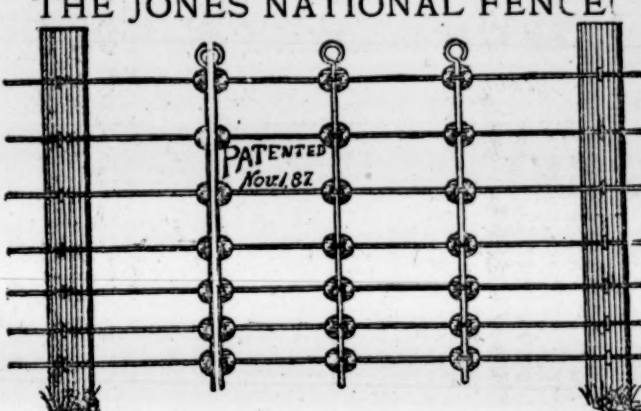
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SHERMAN'S MONUMENT.

Sensational Incident at the Meeting of the Army of the Tennessee.

The General's Son Bitterly Inveighs Against Striking Granite Cutters, Who Hold the Monument at Westley, Rhode Island.

St. Louis, Nov. 17.—The Army of the Tennessee was called to arms today. It was not the voice of "Old Tecumseh" that summoned from the retirement of a quarter of a century the conquerors of Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge and Savannah, but that of his clerical son, who appealed to the old command of his father to rescue from the possession of a labor organization the monument of Gen. Sherman.

It all came about in the ordinary proceedings of the reunion, but in quite an unexpected way. The society had just been called to order, and, at the suggestion of one of those grizzled veterans who not unnaturally regard the sons of their ex-commander as the wards of the society, Mr. Thomas E. Sherman was invited to address the meeting.

The clergyman of the Church of Rome, attired in the conventional garb of his order, spoke for a few moments with great feeling of the affection which the children of Gen. Sherman entertained for the survivors of his father's old command, and then turned his remarks to the monument which the family is providing for the tomb of the dead General, but which is delayed by the refusal of the striking granite cutters at Westley, R. I., to allow it to be removed to the site.

In a voice sad, but passionately indignant, he said: "Just about the time the work was finished a strike occurred in the granite quarries in the East, and the finished monument stands there now; and there is no power in this country, in State or Nation, to move it to that monument from the hands of the union."

A feeling of suppressed indignation swept over the audience, but it was quickly perceptible to the son, and, with his arm extended over the assembly, and his whole frame quivering with emotion, he continued: "They will not consent to let us have it moved, and I only know of one way to get it, and that is to organize one of his old regiments and go there and take it by force." [Prolonged applause.]

"I do wish this society to know that it is not any neglect of his sons or his family. We owe it to you, who belong to the same military family, to say that we have not been negligent for a day, and that we feel sad and mortified that in our country, which you have so free, we can not even move our father's tombstone from the spot where these workmen hold it inclosed. [Indignation in audience.] There is a power there, even higher and stronger than the power that you conquered, and our generation has yet to meet the problem of conquering it, at least submitting to law, that great power."

There was a dead silence for a moment, as the speaker concluded, and then there was a burst of applause, which swelled into a military cheer for the spirited son of the old commander.

A member of the society moved that the stenographic report of Father Sherman's remarks be inscribed in the records of the proceedings, and a few minutes later a meeting of the Sherman Monument Committee was called.

What transpired at that meeting the officers of the future must tell for its members are as mute as the sentinels of a reconnoitering army.

Pos or Rec Deposits.

One person out of every seven in the United Kingdom is a depositor in the postoffice savings banks, which have nearly \$360,000,000 deposits. To manage this business there is a headquarters staff of not far from 1900 persons at the London Postoffice Bank, of which every money-order postoffice in Great Britain and Ireland is a branch. Every deposit made in any one of the postoffices is forwarded to the London headquarters.

The local postmaster simply takes the cash and sends it up to London, merely entering it on a ledger, and on the depositor's book. The London office keeps an account against every one of the 10,000 branch offices. How great is the labor entailed will be realized when it is stated that in one day as many as 72,689 deposits have been made; the last year 992,000 accounts were opened and 701,000 closed. It is estimated that in the twenty-five years the postoffice savings bank system has been in operation frauds and inaccuracies have amounted to only about a cent for every \$2500.

The Owner Turns Up.

"Papa, who owns these parks?" "We do, my son," replied the little boy's father, "we, the people. As a part of the people, James, we have a right to consider ourselves the owners. It is a glorious feature of our form of Government, my boy," he continued, "his eye kindling, 'that the people are absolute. All property rights are based on their consent. All titles thus come from them and will finally revert to them. The will of the people is the supreme law. By the will of the people this lovely park has been reserved, and set apart forever as a playground, a breathing place, a common—our common. Here we have a right to come and rest from the toil and worry of life. We are on our own soil. To breathe this pure air, my boy; to stroll at will through these lovely—"

"Yah, there!" shouted a harsh, imperious voice. "Get off that grass, ye dirty thirly, or I'll run ye in." It was the voice of the park policeman. The other man must have been mistaken, somehow, in his views on parks.

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